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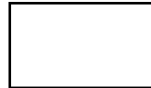
1. Lieutenant Colonel Belousov (fnu) who received a promotion to this rank on 1 May 1952, acted as deputy for Colonel Kashkin (fnu), of the komendatura in Halle (N 52/D 92). Kashkin went on furlough to Moscow in late May. In June, Belousov had been on duty twice at the Bitterfeld komendatura. *
2. In mid-June, a komendatura staffed with 6 officers and 12 MI was established in two detached houses on Eilenburger Strasse in Delitzsch (N 52/E 13). [redacted] the belief that this komendatura was subordinate to a large komendatura in Bitterfeld and noticed that these two offices closely cooperated. [redacted] 25X1
3. On 7 June, a komendatura staffed by about 50 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets was established in the Wappenstift building in Doebern (N 52/K 79).
4. A Soviet komendatura was established in the building of the saving bank in Rochlitz (N 52/K 58). [redacted] the office was staffed by about 50 personnel.
5. On 19 June, a komendatura was established in the former masonic lodge on Domplatz in Lereburg (N 52/D 91). **
6. On 20 June, [redacted] a construction firm in Gera (N 51/K 06) that the Panzer Kaserne in Tinz was to be reconditioned for Volkspolizei. ***

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* [redacted] Comment. Colonel Kashkin (fnu) is carried as department chief of the MI komendatura in Halle, while [redacted] Lieutenant Colonel Belousov (fnu) is carried as working in the department of Colonel Kashkin.

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*** Comment. Previous information indicated that a komendatura was to be established in Delitzsch which was not occupied by other troops.

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 No previous information is available on Doebein and Rochlitz which are both not occupied by other troops. Previous information in May also indicated that a komendatura would possibly be established in Merseburg.

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*** Comment. The barracks installation is only lightly occupied and further information is needed to determine its occupation. It appears possible that the installation may be handed over to the Volkspolizei.

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